Amendments to the Claims

The listing of claims will replace all prior version, and listing of claims in the application.

Listing of claims

1-4. (canceled)

5.   (currently amended) A informing system ~~according to claim 1, wherein~~ comprising:

a service server for relaying communications from an informing person to informed persons,

terminal devices owned by said informing person and said informed persons connected to each other via a computer network, and

means for transmitting to said informed persons informing E-mails each including a URL (Universal Resource Locator) for linking a matter to the informing person, said URL having a document described with a www-compatible language and including a response column corresponding to an access of said informed matter,

wherein said service server comprises means for detecting data concerning said response column transmitted by each of the terminal devices owned by said informed persons, and means for transmitting a result of detection as a reporting E-mail to the terminal device owned by said informing person, and

said reporting E-mail includes a plurality of choices for re-informing methods to the informed persons, said plurality of choices comprising placing a call to a first telephone number of informed persons having not responded, and placing a call to a second telephone number of said informed persons having not responded.

6-8. (Canceled)

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9.   (Currently amended) A informing system ~~according to claim 1, wherein said service server further comprises~~ comprising:

a service server for relaying communications from an informing person to informed persons,

terminal devices owned by said informing person and said informed persons connected to each other via a computer network, and

means for transmitting to said informed persons informing E-mails each including a URL (Universal Resource Locator) for linking a matter to the informing person, said URL having a document described with a www-compatible language and including a response column corresponding to an access of said informed matter,

wherein said service server comprises means for detecting data concerning said response column transmitted by each of the terminal devices owned by said informed persons, and means for transmitting a result of detection as a reporting E-mail to the terminal device owned by said informing person, and

means for preparing a list of informed persons not having checked a transmitted message, and means for periodically reporting the list to the informing person.